

individual, an offer, a counteroffer, a rejected offer, a rejected counteroffer, at least one of a time and a date of a consideration, and a note made by at least one of the employer or hiring entity and the individual,

wherein the apparatus is utilized on or over at least one of the Internet, the World Wide Web, and a wireless communication network. --

IN THE ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE:

Please delete the Abstract of the Disclosure and please substitute therefor the new Abstract of the Disclosure which is attached hereto on a separate sheet.

REMARKS

This is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application. Entry of this Preliminary Amendment, before any Official Action is taken in the case, is respectfully requested.

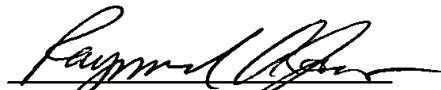
By this Preliminary Amendment, Applicant has cancelled Claims 1-20, without prejudice, and Applicant has added new Claims

21-40. Applicant respectfully submits that Claims 21-40 do not contain new matter.

Applicant has also amended the Abstract of the Disclosure by deleting the Abstract of the Disclosure and by substituting therefor the new Abstract of the Disclosure which is attached hereto on a separate sheet. Applicant respectfully submits that the new Abstract of the Disclosure does not contain new matter.

Entry of this Preliminary Amendment, before any Official Action is taken in this case, is respectfully requested.

Respectfully Submitted,


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Encls.: - Abstract of the Disclosure
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